

Congress of Salvation

CONDUCTED BY

The General

Saturday, Nov. 6, to Thursday, Nov. 11
at WINNIPEG

Saturday, 3 p.m. - - - The Citadel
YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY

Saturday, 7 p.m. - Grace Methodist Church
SOLDIERS AND EX-SOLDIERS

Sunday, 10 a.m. - - - Dominion Theatre
SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS ONLY

Sunday, 3 p.m. - Board of Trade Building
Convention Hall

LECTURE—"THE SALVATION ARMY"

Sunday, 6.30 p.m. - Board of Trade Bldg.
Convention Hall, 6.30 p.m. SALVATION

Monday, 7.30 p.m. - Board of Trade Bldg.
Convention Hall
MISSIONARY DEMONSTRATION

Tues. and Wed. - - - Officers' Councils

Thursday - - - Staff Officers' Council

Everyone is earnestly entreated to pray for this Great
Western Congress and for The General

We Are LOOKING FOR YOU

We will search for missing persons in any part of the globe, Ireland, and so on, and we will send you a list of names in advance. Address: THE SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT, 117-119, Convent St., Winnipeg, Manitoba, marking "Enquiry" on envelope.

One Dollar should be sent with every application, to help defray the expenses. In case of recalcitrant of photographs, have sent (25.00) each.

All Officers, Soldiers, and Friends are requested to assist us by looking regularly through the Winnipeg Telegram, and send the Secretary Department if able to give information regarding any one always stating name and number of home.



Retreat Post

CARTER, FLORENCE. 12 years of age. Brown eyes, fair hair, slender, well proportioned, blonde. Left her home in Winnipeg on Monday night, October 11th. Parents very anxious.

PAUL, ERNEST. Might be known as Eric. Dark hair, blue eyes, 21 years, height 5 feet 7 inches, fair hair, blue eyes. Was a member of the C.B.P. Father in Winnipeg looking to see him.

JANUBA, YERNEST. Eighteen years of age. Reported to be in Winnipeg. Mother anxious for news.

LATIMER, MRS. MINNIE. Age 42, height 5 feet 7 inches, brown hair, brown eyes, very complexion. Native of Canada. Has been heard of in Winnipeg and Brandon.

Salvation Songs

"He was found worthy," Sal. Music. Vol. II, 34; B.J., 104.

When none was found to ransom: me,
He was found worthy;
To set a world of sinners free
He was found worthy.

Oh, the bleeding Lamb!
He was found worthy!

To take the book and loose the seal,
To bruise the head that bruised His head.

To bridge the gulf 'twixt man and God,
And save the rebels by His blood.

To open wide the gates of heaven;
To Him all majesty is given.

To reign o'er all the ransom'd race;
I've tasted of His saving grace.

His blood has washed me white as snow,
And all His fulness I shall know.

"Harrier," 7; "Mourner," 9.

Oh, come and look while on Him,
Whom we have pierced, Whq for us died;
Together let us look and mourn:
The Christ of God is crucified.

His willing hands and feet are bound:
His gracious lips with thirst are dried;
His pitying eyes are dimmed with weep:
The Christ of God is crucified.

Shall we refuse to hear Him speak?
Dare we the Sinless One deride?
Surely on Him our sins were laid:
Jesus for us is crucified.

His cross of shame is all our hope:
The fountain opened in His side
Shall purge our deepest stains away,
With Jesus we are crucified.

A broken and a childlike heart
To none who ask will be denied;
A broken heart love's dwelling is—
The temple of the Crucified.

The Commissioner Winnipeg Campaign

Wonderland Theatre, Sargent Ave.—
Sun., Oct. 17.

Citadel—Bandmen's Councils, Wed.,
Oct. 20.

Winnipeg IV, Logan Avenue—Sun.,
Oct. 24.

Citadel—Y.P. Meeting, Wed., Oct. 27.
Classic Theatre, St. James—Sunday,
Oct. 31.

BRIGADIER COOMBS

*Vancouver IV—Sat., Oct. 23.

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*Mrs. Coombs will accompany.

MAJOR ERNEST SMYTH, Y.P.A.—Fort Frances, Ont. and Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. (Y.P. Dept.) Saskatoon, Ont. and Sault Ste. Marie (Y.P. Dept.).

A sunny spirit is full of love,
Sweetness, and purity, and is more
desirable than great riches.

Learn to say kind and pleasant
things whenever opportunity affords.

Billets

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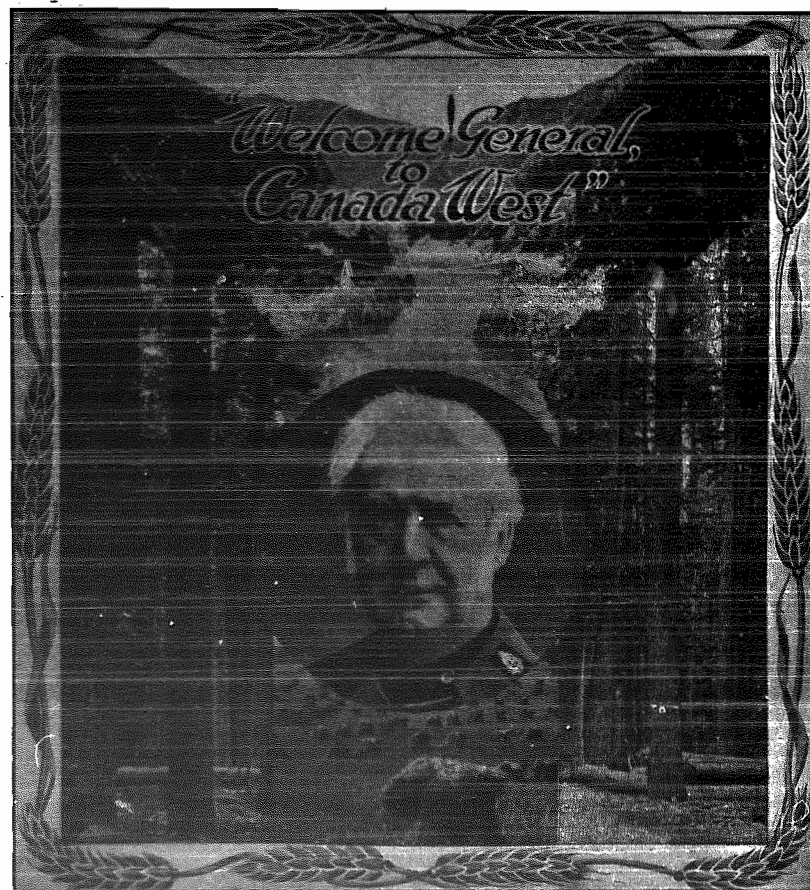
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GENERAL BRAMWELL BOOTH

Commander-in-Chief of the World-Wide Salvation Army

In October, 1882, an event took place in the life of Mr. Bramwell Booth, the first of his kind, which has increased with the passage of years. This was the marriage of the Chief of the London Missionary Society, who had been working for many years in Paris. It was the first marriage of the late General's family, the first wedding ever celebrated in the Congress Hall, and the first time the simple and becoming marriage ritual of the Roman Catholic Church was used. It is not too much to say that that marriage has meant to the Army constitutes a separate and important step in the social movement. What it has meant to The General personally was crystallized by the fact that the same sentence spoken by him on the occasion of the silver wedding anniversary of his parents' marriage was the direction to my life and my father's impulse. My wife happily combines both.

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WILLIAM EADIE, Commissioner.

What the United States Think of the General

Commander Eva Booth
Tells of How The General Was Received by Our Neighbors "Across the Line," and the Impressions He Made Upon Them on the Occasion of His Visit

UNSPOKEN speech has been set down as both the greatest virtue of the United States and her greatest fault. Whatever the opinion of reader or writer, it is certain that no one who steps into public view, be he visitor or resident, is left long in doubt as to the country's feeling toward him. When it is one of distrust there are usually more or less disconcerting evidences, and when it is one of confidence there is equally abundant demonstration; for, far from being ashamed, the United States takes some pride in "wearing her heart upon her sleeve."

When the long-looked-for visit of The General to this country took place there was a rush of expressions telling that the U.S.A. public in general, and the Salvation Army in particular, had taken its illustrious guest into its heart after the wholehearted, enthusiastic fashion of the nation. During the time which has elapsed since those remarkable weeks, there have come to me both directly and indirectly, many evidences of the feelings and thoughts which The General called forth, and while the following are by no means the sum total, they are, at least, representative of the most salient of such sentiments.

He Looks the Part

Perhaps some communities might be inclined to discredit this consideration as being without weight. But there is no gainsaying the fact that in the United States appearance does count for something. Not necessarily symmetry of line, or perfection of physique, but dignity, demureness—in short, an impressive appearance often wins the first hearing. Hence, there were those who confessed to an intense curiosity to look for the first time upon the face of the new General.

The patriarchal figure of The Army's Founder had photographed itself indelibly upon the mental retina of the nation, and it was commonly felt and said that every line of his face and form bespoke the great character of the man, as well as the magnitude of his work. This being so, the keen anxiety which prevailed to behold the personality of his successor was only natural.

It was a thrilling moment when the great crowd of Salvationists awaiting The General's arrival at the Grand Central Station from an impressive campaign at Chicago, heard a sigh of relief as the noted figure stepped before them. On first appearances he had not disappointed them. "Like your looks," were his trenchant, opening words, and, as though commended.

THE Commissioner certainly does not believe in allowing the "grass to grow under his feet"; there is no "marking time" as far as he is concerned. On Sunday, Oct. 17, following the glorious results of the Campaign at Winnipeg, he conducted the meetings in the section known as the No. 11 district.

One could not wish for a better meeting place than the Wonderland theatre, in which the services were held. Warm, commodious, elegant, and admirably adapted for the purpose for which it had been secured, it met the need. Interest was keen, and God's people blessed, and sinners saved.

In the unavoidable absence of the Chief Secretary, Brigadier Phillips, the Training Principal and Divisional Commander, opened the morning meeting.

On personally assuming command, the Commissioner made reference to his recent visit to Government House, for cancelling his adult Bible class,

stated to voice the unanimous response of a man's stentorian tones rang through the great concourse, and echoed across its artificial star-studded sky. "We like you, General!"

There are some of the characteristics of his appearance which captivated them:

The General's Height. This alone was a tremendous bid for favor. The United States, like his own, As someone facetiously ob-



The Commissioner

CONDUCTS CAMPAIGN IN NORTH-WEST WINNIPEG—THEATRE CROWDED WITH ATTENTIVE AND APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCES—STAFF OFFICERS AND NO. 11 CORPS ASSIST—DAY CLOSED WITH ENCOURAGING RESULTS

where he attended a reception given which meets in the theatre every Sunday afternoon. The variety of the proceedings was accountable to a large extent for sustained interest in and general acceptance of the campaign. There were instrumental and vocal items of selections by the Cadets' Singing Brigade. The General was warmly welcomed and testified to the spirit of the people. He was on the right lines; keep at it!

The Commissioner gave an exposition of the 12th chapter of Romans, learned from conversations with several of the prominent men, the amount of interest the campaign just concluded had aroused their bodies with living sacrifice on the altar of Christian service.

The closing moments of the meeting were given to a convincing testimony, and the reason for the hope that was "within him." One soul sought the Training Principal gave attention to the afternoon the Commissioner publicly thanked the owner for the use of the theatre, and also Mr. Gibben, of Maryland Methodist Sunday school, for cancelling his adult Bible class,

was followed by a brief but compelling

service. "It likes its David to be Goliath." With but few exceptions the nation's heroes have been, and are, men of many lines. Therefore, we understand the rather colloquially expressed feelings of one who remarked, "You but there's plenty of him, and it's all General."

It is not alone the gold crests or self-marchal's dress—it is the way these are worn that makes one's hand instinctively lift to the salute.

"The eye of a dreamer and the mouth of a master of men," was one comment. "In every speaking feature another. 'I looked into his face and saw the great man behind the great rank' was a third."

His Intensity Compels Men. I question whether half-heartedness or indifference, ever "gets anywhere" in any land, but I am quite sure that in the United States the man who makes his mark and leaves it upon others is he who lives and breathes and radiates his purpose. The General is tremendously in earnest about the vitalities of Salvationism. "They mean everything to me—they must mean everything to you!" that is the impression he left in the metropolises of the New World. The General makes an audience feel that the revolutions of God concerning righteousness and existence, and it makes no difference whether an audience numbers a thousand or ten.

His Liberty of Vision Attracts Men. Side by side and quite harmoniously with his robed address to the Artillery for the penitential, may more, the fratitudes of others. Some of the expressions which proclaimed this liberty of vision in the Officers' Com-

mands have graven themselves on the grateful recollection of his people. His ability to grasp, by his patience with the tenacity with which he unfalteringly holds to the limitless use of the Divine, attracted unanimous admiration and trust.

His Simplicity Wins Men. He is too great to be "grand." His address is like a drop of small syllables dipped in fire. He makes little use of any complicated instrument or philosophical thought. His themes are too immense to require it. Jesus Christ stands to him in the clear of all. The name of Christ, which is always in his mouth; the mysteries of the Gospel which he so divinely announces, make him unimportant in his simplicity. Before the people his language was like sparks struck out and wherever they fall they burn. But it was not only the simplicity of the General's language which was so attractive here—it was the simplicity of his whole demeanor—the utter absence of anything affected, which won the admiration and affection of all classes.

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Congress Notes

AS the date of The General's visit drew nearer the interest in the event became keener. This interest is by no means manifest among Salvationists only, but it is becoming the topic of conversation with the "mas in the street." On every hand the Salvationist is greeted with some such words as, "I see The General's coming! I'm sure going to hear him!"

Elsewhere in our columns will be found the press cable from London, England, giving particulars of the great "send-off" and "God-speed" accorded The General on the eve of his departure. By the time this issue reaches the hands of our readers he will have visited Ottawa and Montreal and will be about to embark on his campaign at Toronto. God bless The General's efforts in Canada East!

Billets

Any soldier, adherent or friend who could billet one or more Officers during the Congress, please communicate with

BRIGADIER PHILLIPS
259 Fountain Street, Winnipeg

The General, by special request, will address the Canadian Club at luncheon at the Alexandra hotel on Monday, Nov. 8.

It is expected that a great crowd will gather in the Auditorium, Board of Trade Building, on Sunday afternoon to hear The General's lecture on "The Salvation Army." An announcement, His Honor, Sir James Aikins, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, will preside.

As we go to press we learn that Commissioner Lawley will arrive in Winnipeg on or about Oct. 28. The Commissioner comes in the capacity of "forerunner" to The General, and will put the final "touch" on the arrangements. He will leave for the East as soon as he is present on the arrival of The General.

The large billboard posters advertising The General's visit are attracting considerable attention and are the source of much public comment.

The Chief Secretary

The following is an extract from a communication which reaches us from Lt.-Colonel Morris. It will be noted that the extract has reference to the Chief Secretary's welcome meetings and the Y.P. Day at Lethbridge, Alta.:

"We are having some good meetings! At Calgary there was tea and Council, with about twenty Officers. The evening service was very well attended. Cushing was present at the public welcome. Lethbridge, Hon. Buchanan and others Saturday night in a well-filled hall. Y.P. Day Ferrie did not come in as last year, 92 percent against 70 last year. We started at 10:15 p.m. all ablaze with pledges of service and loyalty for coming year, and some had a 'war-dance.' Have just arrived here (Medicine Hat). We hope to publish a full report of these meetings in our next issue." (Ed.)

Newslets

The Trade Secretary informs us that he has just received a large consignment of large, best quality "penny" boots from the "Boys of the Life of the Founder" (Boys) has also been received.

We regret to learn that Commandant Bristow is laid aside with an attack of pleurisy.

The General has Sailed

[SPECIAL CABLE FROM THE BRITISH WAR CRY]

"General and Mrs. Booth conducted two days Clapton Wednesday Thursday. Congress Hall thronged again and again, whole series glorious in liberty and Holy Ghost power. A crescendo of spiritual triumph. Testimonies and appeals of Missionary Officers mightily moving the scene in final meeting, ten thirty night. Delightful beyond words; scores penitents intermingling with shouts of praise and rejoicing. Three hundred seekers and thirty-three candidates."

"The General's faith is high for triumph in campaign across Atlantic. Chief of the Staff and large assemblage send-off Waterloo this morning. Prayed for wave of Salvation across American continent.—Editor."

Territorial Newslets

ON Saturday, Oct. 16, Commissioner and Mrs. Booth attended the reception given at Government House by the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir James Aikins, to the clergy of the Anglican church. The centenary of the church in the West has just been successfully celebrated at Winnipeg, and the reception was in connection with these celebrations.

The Commissioner, assisted by the Headquarters Staff and Officers and Soldiers of No. 111 Corps, conducted the day's meetings at the Wonderland theatre, Winnipeg, on Sunday, Oct. 17. A full report will be found elsewhere in this issue.

When about to enter Headquarters recently the Commissioner suddenly slipped and fell, breaking one rib and bruising his side. The accident, although causing our Leader severe pain, has not incapacitated him. He is "on the bridge" and on Wednesday evening, Oct. 20, held a two-hour session of Council with the Bandmen and Songsters of the city, a report of which will appear in our next issue.

On Sunday, Oct. 31, the Commissioner will conduct a campaign at St. James. The message will be held in the Classic theatre.

Word is to hand that the Chief Secretary, Lt.-Colonel Morris, has been warmly welcomed at the various Corps visited. The Y.P. Day at Lethbridge, on Sunday, Oct. 17, was a success. Reports of these welcome meetings and the Y.P. Day will appear in due course.

Brigadiers McLean and Taylor report an excellent series of meetings in connection with the Y.P. Days at Brandon and Moose Jaw. We hope to publish full particulars in our next issue.

Colonel Samuel Rees Promoted to Glory—Just as we go to press the news reaches us that Colonel Samuel Rees passed away on Wednesday, Oct. 13, at Oakland, Cal. His death was due to heart disease. We are sure all our readers will join in sympathy to Mrs. Rees, Adjutant Mrs. Wilkinson, and the family, and bear them up in prayer.

The Governor and Turnkey of the Port Arthur penitentiary are deeply interested in the meetings which are conducted in the institution by our Men's Social Officers. Their interest took a practical form recently, in that they have provided for a better and more commodious meeting place.

Campaign at Winnipeg

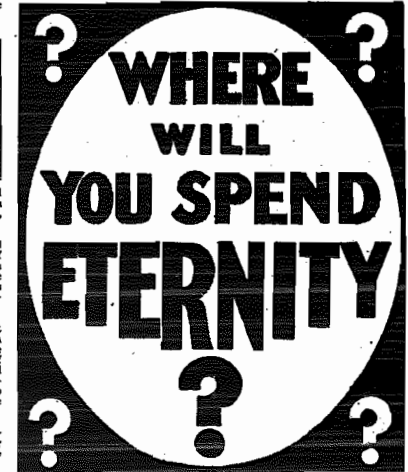
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If we transgress His Divine laws—the laws of the body, mind and conscience. Have you ever been chased by a guilty conscience? The Commissioner inquired with dramatic emphasis.

A woman's impressive silence, then the audience was informed that if men sin they transgress; that sin defiles the man; for whom Christ died. "Salvation is satisfying; it is the joy of the Lord."

hard, but well-fought prayer-meeting followed. Some considerable number of men were present, and the results, although the spirit of conviction was much in evidence. Then first our soldiers for whose example was quickly followed by others, until men were kneeling at the Cross, making "well" for the day. Praise God!

OFFICERS' ATTENTION! We are requested by the Trade Department to announce that there is a number of Officers who have not sent their own soldiers for the Y.P. Day. 1221. Officers who have recently changed commands would be well advised to ascertain from the Corps records whether the order has been submitted, and if not, to place the order at once.



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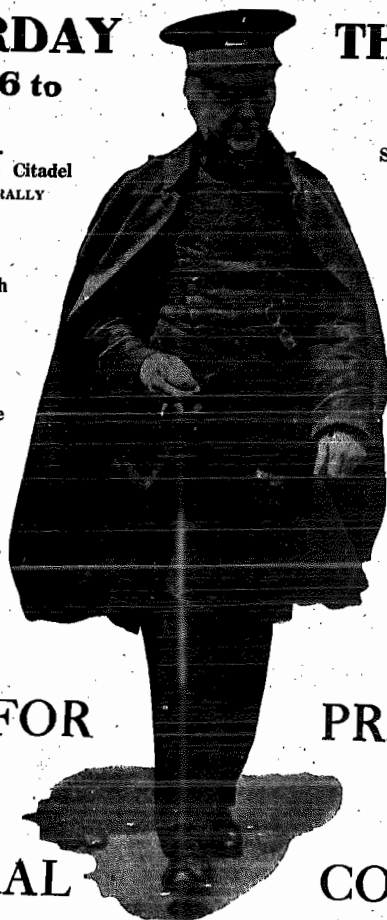
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—Psalm cxlv. 1